

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Patent Application No. 10/589,296

Confirmation No. 6942

Applicant: Peter Schramm

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Examiner: RAMOS, JAVIER J.

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner mailed August 25, 2008, rejecting the following claims: 8-14.

1. Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review

A "Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review"
 is filed concurrently herewith or is not being filed.

2. Status of Applicants

This application is on behalf of other than a small entity or a small entity.

3. Fee for Filing Notice of Appeal

Pursuant to 37 CFR 41.20(b), the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is for:

other than a small entity or a small entity.

Notice of Appeal Fee due \$540.00

4. Extension of Time

Appellants petition for a three-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$1,110.00 of which \$490.00 was already paid.

Appellants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that appellants have inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Extension fee due with this request: \$620.00

5. Total Fee Due

The total fee due is:

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| Notice of Appeal Fee | \$540.00 |
| Request for Oral Hearing | \$ 0.00 |
| Extension Fee (if any) | \$620.00 |

Total Fee Due: \$1,160.00

6. Fee Payment

Attached is a check in the sum of \$. . .
Charge Account No. 12-1216 the sum of \$1,160.00.

7. Fee Deficiency

If any additional fee is required in connection with this communication, charge Account No. 12-1216.

Respectfully submitted, .



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